UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN DIVISION

FILE NO.: 4:24-CV-00056-FL

QUANISHA PARKS,)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.)
SHERIFF JACOB ROGERS, in Official Capacity,	his)
Defendant) : <u>. </u>
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN DIVISION FILE NO.: 4:24-CV-00055-FL	
CLAYTON BONEY,)
Plaintiff,))))
V.	Ò
SHERIFF JACOB ROGERS, in Official Capacity,	his)
Defendant	;.

ORDER GRANTING CONSENT MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

THIS CAUSE is before the Court upon the consent motion of Defendant Jacob Rogers for an order consolidating these matters. The undersigned, having considered said motion, hereby finds that consolidation of these cases will promote judicial economy and efficiency

without burden or prejudice to any party and will reduce the risk of inconsistent determinations

regarding the legal theories of the claims asserted and, therefore, find this motion should be

ALLOWED.

NOW THEREFORE, the motion is GRANTED, and the case of Clayton Boney v. Sheriff

Jacob Rogers, File No. 4:24-CV-00055-FL, should be consolidated with the case of Quanisha

Parks v. Sheriff Jacob Rogers, File No. 4:24-CV-00056-FL, before The Honorable Louise W.

Flanagan, pursuant to Rule 42(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Despite consolidation,

these two civil actions will retain their independent character. Seabrooks v. Evans Delivery Co.,

Civil Action No. 5:20-cv-00039 (W.D. Va. Oct. 16, 2020) (quoting Hall v. Hall, 584 U.S. 59, 77

(2018).

The Clerk is instructed to transfer File No. 4:24-CV-00055-FL to the docket of File

No. 4:24-CV-00056-FL, and Parties are instructed to file pleadings, motions, and other such

documents during the pendency of this case only within the consolidated case file, under File No.

4:24-CV-00056-FL. The clerk is DIRECTED to administratively close File No. 4:24-

CV-00055-FL after the filing of this order, and to not accept any further filings in that case, until

further order of the court.

SO ORDERED, this the 18th day of June, 2024.

LOUISE W. FLANAGAN
United States District Judge